

Notice

TO: Consumer Electronics Manufacturers and Interested Parties

FROM: Jana White, Manager, Solid Waste Planning RE: South Carolina Electronics Program Update

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Notice to Television Manufacturers

In accordance with the requirements of S.C. Code Section 48-60-50, manufacturers that sell consumer televisions in South Carolina must register with the S.C. Department of Health and Environmental Control (DHEC).

Beginning July 1, 2012, manufacturers of consumer televisions and/or manufacturer representatives will be able to register online. Registration must be completed no later than October 1, 2012.

During the online registration process, the manufacturer will be asked to provide:

- manufacturer contact information;
- a complete list of the television brands owned or licensed by the manufacturer;
- a copy or summary of their Collection and Recovery Plan;
- sales data for the year July 1, 2011 through June 30, 2012; and
- recovery data for the year July 1, 2011 through June 30, 2012.

For the year beginning July 1, 2012 and ending June 30, 2013, television manufacturers must recover their market share of televisions in accordance with the Act. Specific market share recovery requirements will be provided by DHEC to television manufacturers as soon as possible after the registration deadline, but not later than December 31, 2012.

Online registration will be available beginning July 1, 2012. To begin the registration process, please go to this link http://www.scdhec.gov/environment/admin/htm/epermitting.htm and follow the directions for the ePermitting Portal. Manufacturers will be required to create an eSignature account to access the EPermitting Portal. Please create an account for the Manufacturer rather than an individual person. If you prefer to register by paper, please contact us.

Manufacturers of electronic devices other than televisions may voluntarily register beginning July 1, 2012. Requirements for manufacturers may change pending future legislative activity. We will notify you of any changes when they occur, and post them on the website listed below.

For additional information, program updates and links to the registration process, please visit: www.scdhec.gov/e-cycle. You may also contact Tina Lindler or Jana White at e-register@dhec.sc.gov or at 1(800)768-7348 or 1(800) SO-USE-IT.